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In Re PATENT APPLICATION OF:

Applicants : Fengqi YE et al.
Serial No: : To Be Assigned
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For : β -LACTAMASE RESISTANT
CEPHALOSPORIN ESTER
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THEREOF
Attorney Ref. : SHA 140NP

**PRELIMINARY
AMENDMENT**

May 26, 2006

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits and to calculation the claim fee, please amend
the application as follows:

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